

EXERCISE 63**TENSES AND CONCORD**
Present and Past Continuous

Fill in each blank with the present or past continuous tense of the word given in the brackets.

- 1 Mr and Mrs Lovett were singing (sing) a duet at the concert yesterday.
- 2 She could not hear you because she was listening (listen) to some music.
- 3 Some policemen are patrolling (patrol) the neighbourhood now. I wonder what has happened.
- 4 All the audience in the hall was very quiet because the host was announcing (announce) the winners of the contest.
- 5 Catherine is setting (set) up her tent now. Can you go and help her?
- 6 I did not turn on the radio because I was doing (do) my homework.
- 7 Those children were running (run) across the road. They did not notice the cars coming towards them.
- 8 My sister is typing (type) her science report on the computer now.
- 9 The plumber fixed (fix) the leaking pipe yesterday morning.
- 10 Jill was sleeping (sleep) this afternoon. She missed her favourite cartoon.